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Garlic festival brings celebrity chef to Stanhope

The eighth annual Haliburton County Garlic Festival will be held on Saturday, Aug. 22 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Stanhope Community facility on North Shore Road (5 km north of Carnarvon).

The festival is organized by the Haliburton County Garlic Growers Association and will promote local garlic vendors, as well as other produce, food, and artisan vendors. There will also be several garlic-themed demonstrations and workshops taking place throughout the day.

Demonstrations and workshops:

Cooking With Garlic

Celebrity Chef, Geremy Capone, will lead two cooking demonstrations at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Geremy is the wellness chef at the ELLICSR Health, Wellness and Cancer Survivorship Centre and helps run the ELLICSR Kitchen Program. Through this program they research and develop recipes that are delicious, easy to prepare, healthy, cost effective and as seasonal as possible. Geremy enjoys being part of the vibrant ELLICSR team and "aims to provide individuals touched by cancer with the knowledge, skills and resources to take charge of their health and wellness." Join Geremy to learn about different ways to cook with garlic as well as its nutritional value.

Author Peter McClusky will promote his new book titled: Ontario Garlic: The Story from Farm to Festival.

McClusky is the founder of the Toronto Garlic Festival and "serves up garlic's long journey from central Asia to its now-revered place in the hearts and dishes of Ontarians. Growing tips and 40 recipes bring Ontario garlic from farm to festival to feast."

Garlic Braiding Workshop

A 20-minute interactive workshop will be offered to learn the art of garlic braiding. Pre-registration is preferred by emailing Ron Reid at re9id@interhop.net or phoning 705-489-2431. Participants can purchase garlic available at the festival and will take home their very own hand crafted eight-garlic bulb braid.

Growing Your Own Garlic Workshop

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Ron Reid, right, helps a customer pick out the best garlicin this file photo. Reid is one of the organizers of the event.

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Growing garlic is a four-season affair

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Children's activities

"Stepping through the four seasons of garlic" is this year's theme for the children's interactive garlic activity centre. The activity station will provide a hands-on opportunity to learn everything from getting the soil ready to harvesting and replanting. It will also include a bulbil (garlic seed) project that kids and interested persons can take home with them to continue the next generation. Our resident face painter will also be on hand to add colour to your day and face as you step through the four seasons of garlic!

We still need volunteers! If you are interested volunteering for all or part of the day please phone 705-489-2431 or 705-489-4201.

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Learn about building soil, the benefits of raised beds, seed garlic, winter protection and more at Garlic Fest.

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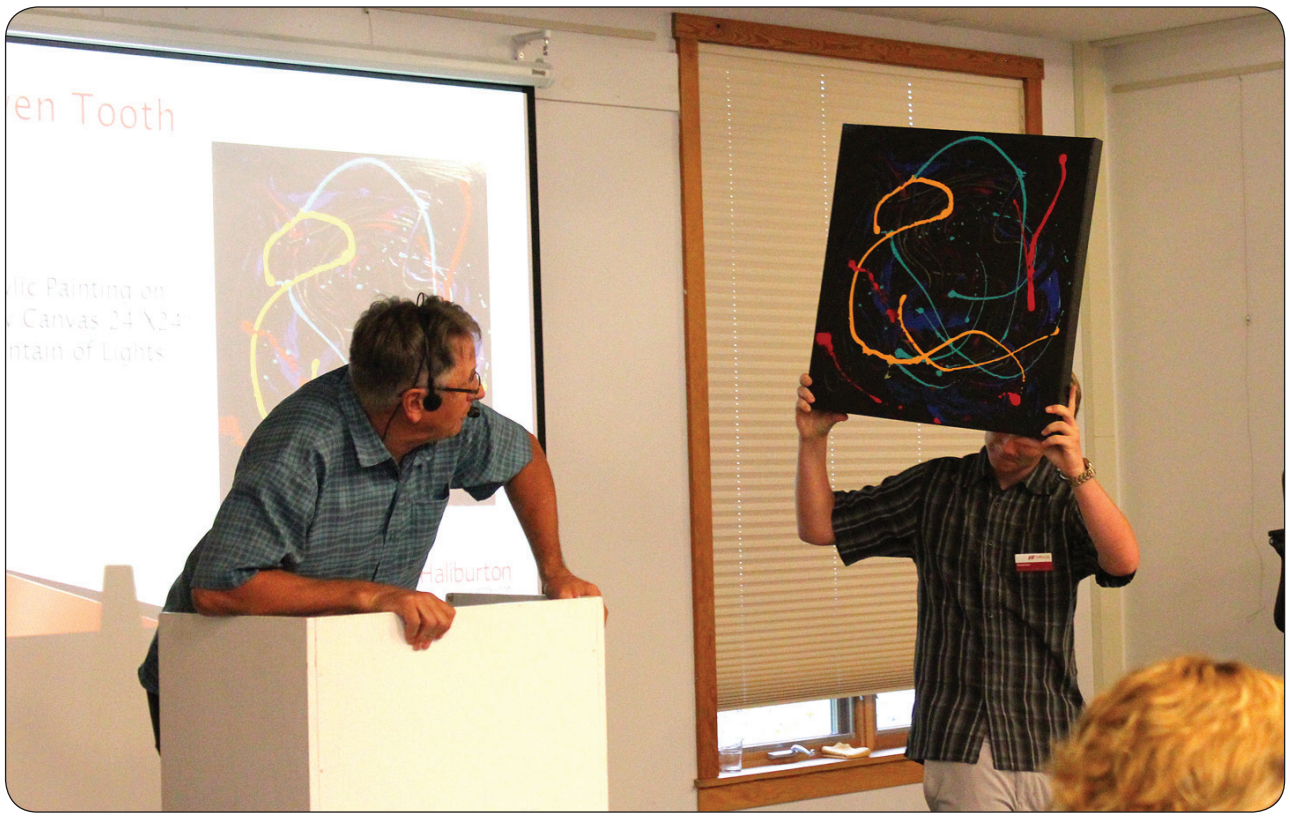
The Haliburton School of the Arts hosted their faculty auction Aug. 6 in the school's great hall. The auction raised $15,000 for bursary programs for students through live and silent auctions. A painting on the auction block is displayed for potential bidders to see. ELIZABETH BATE staff



There was a full house at the Haliburton School of the Arts faculty auction Aug. 6 in the school's great hall. Auctioneer Jim Nelson, left, discusses one of the items up for bid with his assistant Kent Ferndale, far right.

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Terry Fox Run honours founder's commitment

By Elizabeth Bate

Just a year after a courageous young Canadian battling cancer passed away, the first charity run raising money for his cause and honouring his life was held. On Sept. 20, the 35th anniversary of that first run will be marked in Head Lake Park, and across the country.

Jennifer Button, a longtime participant in the Terry Fox Run, is leading a team of volunteers organizing this year's Haliburton run.

"I've participated in the Terry Fox runs kind of wherever I've been on that weekend," she said. "In years past it has been outstanding and it's such a great foundation to just take over from and just grow on it."

This year's run will introduce a one kilometre kids' event running through the park starting at 11:30 a.m. Following the kids' event are the five- and 10-kilometre races, beginning at noon.

For the run's 35th year, Button is hoping to build on the successes of previous years and see an increase in donations and participation.

"Last year we had over 100 participants and raised over $4,000. To date the Haliburton Terry Fox Run has raised over $131,000 in total," she said.

This year the goal is to raise $5,000.

Button lauds the charity for being frugal with their overhead costs, which allows them to give as much as possible to research.

"It goes to support all types of cancer research. Actually, 84 cents of every dollar goes to cancer research, which is one of the highest percentages of any Canadian fundraising organization. They have very low administration costs," she said. "To date 1,212 cancer research projects have been funded by the Terry Fox Foundation."

The 9,000 runs held each year operate as much as possible on what Button calls a zero-dollar budget. The organizing staff is comprised entirely of volunteers and all the supplies they need are donated by the community.

"Every cent that comes in as a pledge or donation goes right to the Terry Fox foundation, so the entire event relies on donations from the community right down to the paper that we print on, the sidewalk chalk that we use, the water stations, everything comes from donations," said Button.

Currently Button is seeking more volunteers for the day of the event, and has set up a new website where they can sign up with the click of a button.

"We're always looking for new volunteers. We have lots of different activities that they can participate in. There's anything from registration, to road marshals, to the refreshment stand, cheer stations, handing out the ribbons at the finish line," she said.

The website is linked through the group's Facebook page at Terry Fox Haliburton Run. There interested participants can link to register for the race, create their own donation page, or register to volunteer.

Button says the day will be a fun-filled chance to celebrate community and raise money to fight cancer, a disease she says has touched all of us. It will also be a chance to celebrate the life of a great Canadian.

"The Terry Fox Run is important to me for so many reasons other than just raising money for cancer research. It's about remembering this young man who was only 18 years old when he was diagnosed with cancer and 21 when he started the run. I think a lot of people forget how young Terry Fox was when he went out there to raise all this money," she said.

"It's an event to remember him and remember how unselfish he was when he had cancer, lost his leg, and then decided 'I am the lucky one. I'm not the sick person who lost my leg, I'm the lucky one who's still alive, and what can I do to make everyone else's future better.'"

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Consider life without plastic

By Chad Ingram

A new exhibit at the Minden Hills Museum is asking attendees to consider life without the ubiquity of plastic products and what the implications of disposable items has been on our culture.

Considerations, brainchild of cultural centre curator Laurie Carmount, is on display in the Sterling Bank building at the Minden Hills Cultural Centre.

"This exhibition is to evoke dialogue about the impact of our everyday items," Carmount says. "When an easier way of life starts to cause fundamental problems for everyone, then let's consider our actions. Today our mass consumption is jeopardizing our future – perhaps the past holds solutions."

The show consists of a variety of consumer items from the pre-plastic era, items made from glass, metal and natural fibres.

"Natural fibres are actually much better to store food in," Carmount says, adding that today, even the fibres used in clothing are heavily synthesized. "Most of us are wearing plastic."

One of the pieces in the show is a stoneware vessel.

Carmount points out that stoneware, functional and reusable, was utilized by humans for millennia.

"Why we don't use it today, it just doesn't make sense," she said.

Along with the mass production of plastic consumer items came the loss of artfulness that handmade items possess.

"They didn't just make a pitcher, they made a beautiful pitcher," Carmount says.

How will smartphones, digital communication and the loss of cursive writing affect culture?

"How will future generations read historical documents?" Carmount asks. "How many text messages have you kept from your loved ones?"

The show runs until Oct. 12.

Victoria Bingham of the Minden Hills Museum holds an antique honey tin, part of the Considerations exhibit, now on display. /CHAD INGRAM Staff

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The Kawartha Kavaliers were so good, spectators took photos and videos as they made their way down York Street in Haliburton.

The Kawartha Kavaliers included some impressive twirlers with large purple and white flags.

Photos by Jenn Watt

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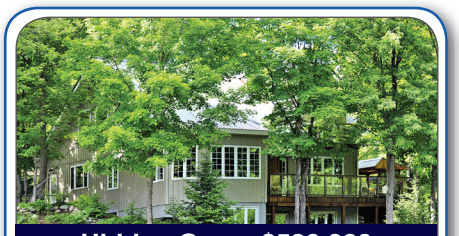

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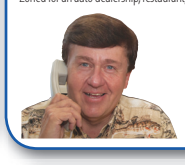

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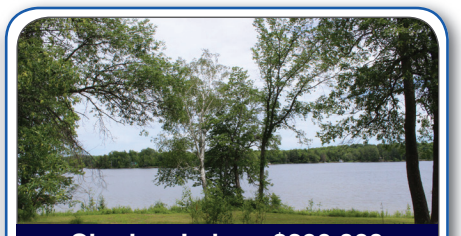

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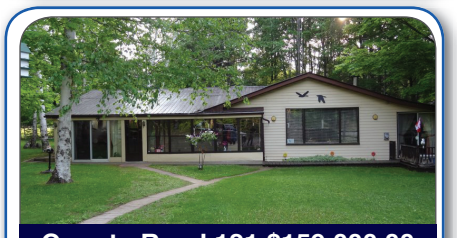

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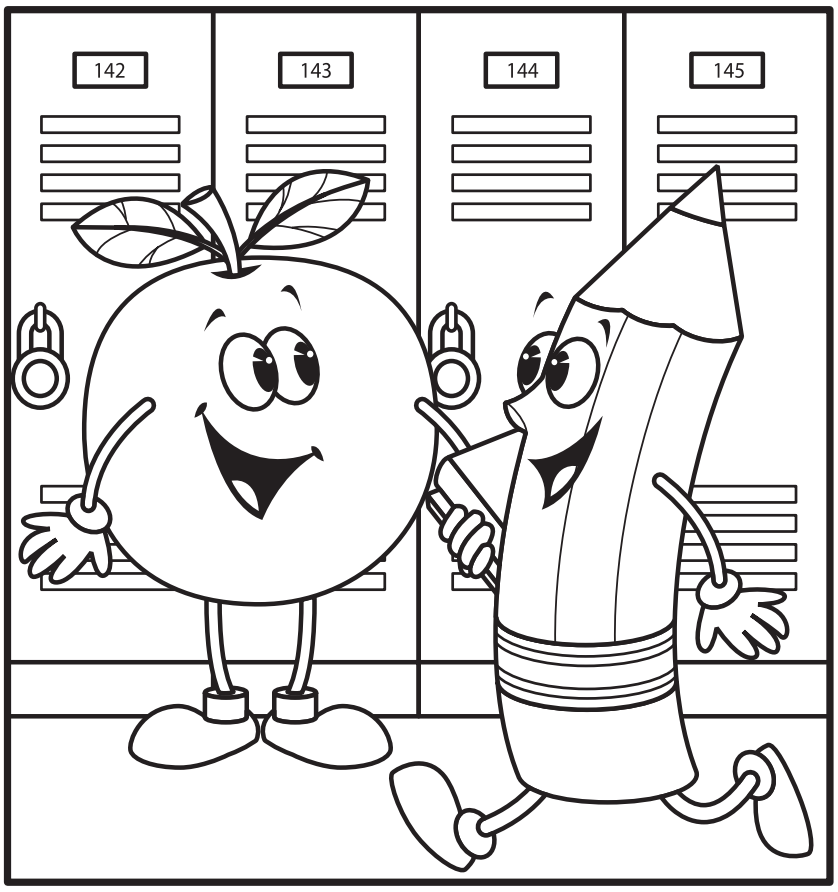

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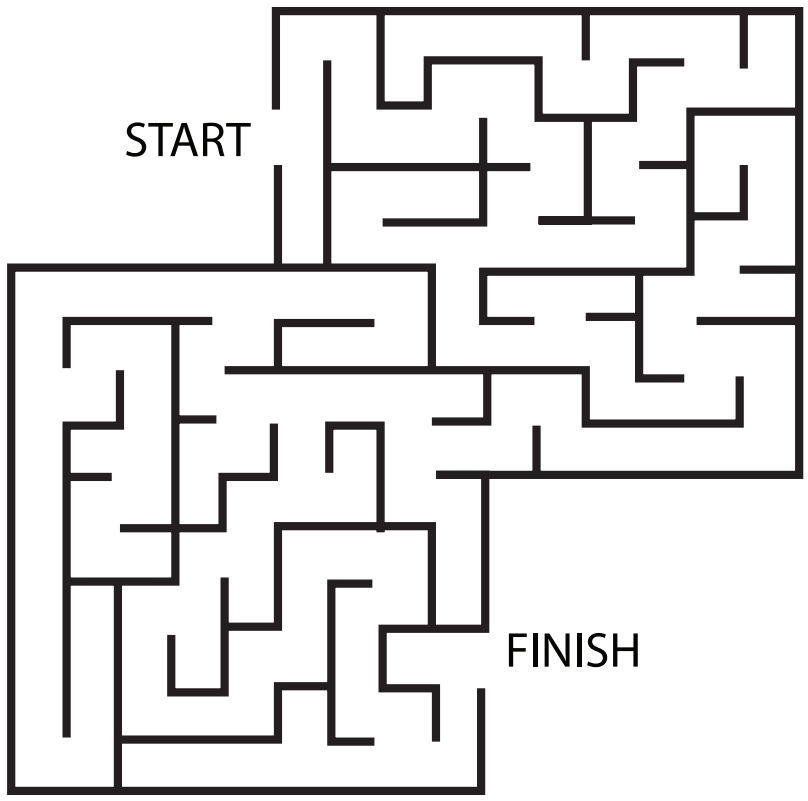

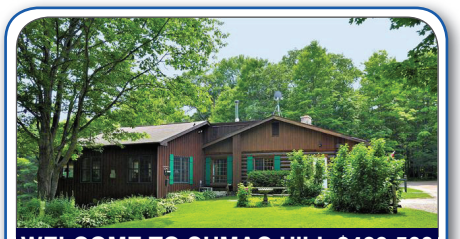

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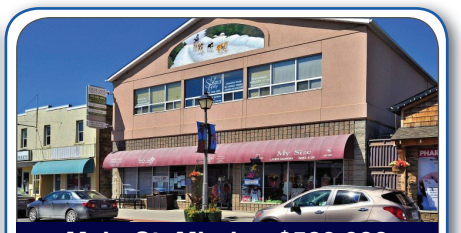

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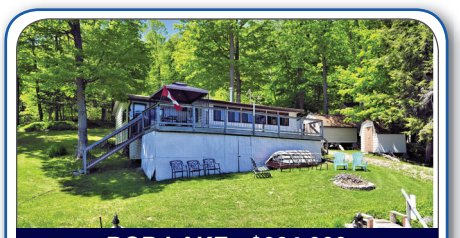

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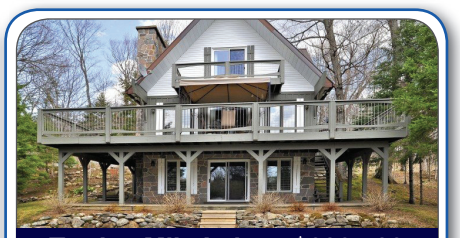

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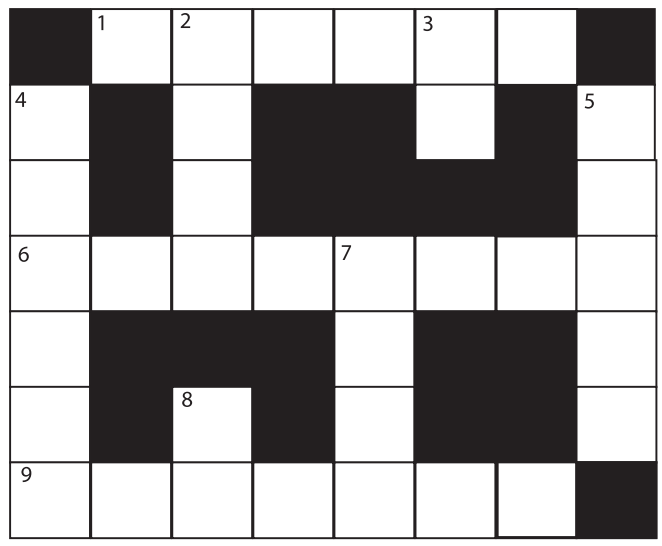

ACROSS

1. Cat family
6. Worship of nature
9. Giddy

DOWN

2. Place to leave
3. Opposite of "yes"
4. Dog family
5. Lifts off the ground
7. Smallest
8. Short for air conditioning

Answers:
Across
1. Feline 6. Naturism 9. Excited
Down
2. Exit 3. No 4. Canine 5. Jumps 7. Runt 8. AC

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Exhibition weaves Haliburton's past and present

By Jenn Watt

A white rocking chair sits in the corner of the old train station in Haliburton. Draped over it is an afghan blanket, each granny square colourful and bright. On another wall is a quilt, nearly complete, with squares in familiar patterns – north wind, log cabin, eight-point star. On the walls, farm implements, logging axes, and animal traps hang.

It could be Haliburton at the turn of the century, except that train station is the Rails End Gallery and there's something not quite right about these objects.

Look closer and that afghan isn't so warm after all – it's made of the wires that run inside ethernet cables painstakingly crocheted together. The quilt on the wall is actually slices of old keyboards, wedges of Blackberrys and corners of laptop covers. Out of the end of a pitchfork comes a set of earbuds. The handle sports a set of white lettered keys.

This blend of past and present is from the By Hand exhibition by artist and Haliburton School of the Arts instructor Elinor Whidden on at Rails End Gallery until Oct. 11.

The artist says the idea emerged from the building itself. She wanted to do a project that played off the historical past of the gallery, formerly the Haliburton train station.

To gather information and inspiration, she went to Haliburton Highlands Museum, where staff allowed her to look through their artifacts and offered up their knowledge of local history.

"As I started to explore I realized what I was really interested in was looking at the labour of opening up this area – farming and logging and because the farmland turned out to be so crappy there was some trapping that was happening, but how people were making a living by scratch and by hand the real physical toil of eking out an existence in this landscape, which is so rough," Whidden says.

It was striking to her how the nature of work had changed.

"I was thinking about how a lot of our current work and labour is connected to these electronic devices, these handheld devices, these phones and laptops and tablets and all these cables we end up with and our work has really changed to be not so much by hand ... we still have all these handheld devices, but they all end up in the garbage every year," she says.

Haliburton during the time of the settlers was not nearly so wasteful. Quilts, for example, were made of reused fabric that no longer served its purpose as a garment. Groups of women would come together to create these functional artworks. Likewise, men would converge to put up a barn or log a forest. Work was done together and skills were practical and tangible. "The complete opposite of how wasteful we are of these devices. Either they break in a year or the operating system is no longer supporting the new app, so out it goes," Whidden says.

This mashing of the two cultures is obvious and whimsical, but its message becomes more nuanced the longer the art is examined.

Beside the quilt made of tech cast-offs stands an ironing board and an old fashioned iron. On the board, a nearly complete quilted square of cold plastic and metal sits as if waiting to be added to the blanket on the wall. Imagine placing that hot iron on the quilt square, however, and the narrative changes. A hot iron is unlikely to smooth anything about this new invention; it would melt and warp, maybe even release toxic fumes from its plastic parts.

The afghan offers the same dilemma: beautiful from afar, its cold, wiry fabric would be little protection from a winter's day.

"There's an absurdity to the person who would gather these broken wires and turn them into something else, but that something else doesn't really work. Like an afghan made out of wires isn't comforting.

"They don't really function. They reference something that keeps you warm, but is a tool for working, but they don't really work," Whidden says.

The exhibition title, By Hand, offers several branches of thought to explore. Our early settlers certainly worked the land by hand and even made their tools by hand. Today, most of us work by hand, too, but the nature of that labour is incredibly different. Our living "by hand" often means being apart from others.

"There's this idea that we're networked together, but there's also this isolation that we have now all working from home alone on these devices," Whidden says.

It can mean blending work and leisure time as we check our emails late at night or sneak a peek at Facebook while at the office. And, as Whidden points out, these new objects are made by hand, just not by us. Often, the new iPhone or Android tablet was made under poor conditions overseas by people we will never meet.

Despite the serious nature of these conversations, the exhibition is filled with fun and subtle jokes. Like the photo of Whidden posing with a bonnet made of wires and earbuds, the artist wants the audience to think, but also to laugh.

To accompany the sculptures in Rails End, a special feature has been added to the Haliburton Highlands Museum. Amidst its collection of historical photos, some staged pictures of Whidden posing in sepia tone have been added. In one she stands with her pitchfork, looking like an area farmer from the 1930s. Under more careful inspection, you see that farm implement has computer keys on it.

The hope is that this reference at the museum will get people talking and perhaps guide them to the gallery. Likewise, the gallery will be informing visitors that this additional artwork is available to view at the museum.

You can check out By Hand at the Rails End Gallery until Oct. 11. Go to railsendgallery.com/calendar/elinor-whidden-by-hand/ for more.

A blanket made of the wires from inside ethernet cables are crocheted into an afghan and draped on a rocking chair at Rails End Gallery. It is part of an exhibition by Elinor Whidden examining our use of technology and the role of working by hand in the history of the Haliburton Highlands.

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New SIRCH program helps keep seniors Safe at Home

By Angelica Ingram

Nestled down the end of a long, paved road stands a well kept green bungalow overlooking Coleman Lake.

The picturesque home features a few steps up to the front door, complete with a self-made railing to hang on to.

Upon entering, guests feel secure knowing they won't fall down the immediate staircase, which leads to the basement, thanks to a metal barrier blocking the open steps.

Area rugs in the hallway and throughout the house are also kept in place with non-slip pads located underneath.

The cozy home belongs to 88-year-old Haliburton County resident John Glenn, who has tried his best over the years to keep his house as safe as possible.

A retired widower, Glenn lost his beloved wife Muriel, to whom he was married to for nearly 60 years, eight years ago and has lived in his home alone since that time.

"We were childhood sweethearts," he said.

With two children, five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren (and another on the way) coming for regular visits, Glenn is kept both busy and social, two things he prefers to be.

However the combination of visiting youngsters and his declining health in his old age has made Glenn more than aware of the importance of safety.

In the past few weeks Glenn volunteered to have his home assessed through a new SIRCH initiative called Safe at Home.

A longtime SIRCH volunteer who is neighbours with SIRCH employee Marilyn Rydberg, Glenn was approached about the program and did not hesitate about it for a minute.

The initiative includes a visit from trained volunteers, who access the home for safety hazards and then submit a detailed report to the homeowner in the weeks following.

"This is the wonderful thing about this program, they come in and they're very, very nice, and they check the outside and inside over," he said.

The visit lasted for approximately 45 minutes as volunteers went through a checklist, said Glenn.

Some of the suggestions given included putting in a hand railing for a short set of steps leading from the house to the garage and installing push handles on the doors.

"The nice thing about this whole program is it's all free of charge," he said. "The other thing I really like about it is I can fix everything, I can fix one or two things, which I'm going to do or I can fix nothing. It's just a suggestion, there's nothing here that says you have to do this."

One of the benefits of the program in Glenn's opinion is it allows him to stay in his home longer, rather than move to a seniors' residence.

"I know I'm old, but I don't want to spend my days with old people," he says. "So I'm doing everything I can I'm investigating every option to stay here."

A resident of the county for the past 15 years, Glenn moved from the Hamilton area to a piece of property he and his wife fell in love with.

A ski and boating enthusiast, Glenn used to be on the Canadian Ski Patrol and used to frequent the area for cross-country skiing.

Glenn would not only recommend the program but has already started doing so.

"I'm so enthusiastic about it because if they can make a person's life any safer then that's wonderful," he said.

The program is open to anyone 65 and over and is not only helpful for seniors but for making homes safer for visiting grandchildren.

Coordinator of Safe at Home, Wendy Iles explained that the program sends two trained volunteers to a senior's home to look for any issues that can be a trip, fall or shock hazard.

"The checklist is not invasive ... it's very general things like throw rugs and are there proper receptacles installed in the bathrooms," she said. "They bring the completed list back to SIRCH, I go over it with the volunteers and then do up a report that, based on the findings can either be presented to them by the volunteers or I may discuss it by phone and then send them the info for their records."

Apart from identifying risks, the visit can help connect seniors with county-wide programs they may not know exist, such as bereavement support groups, Meals on Wheels, etc.

The report is completely confidential and also includes looking ahead to potential risks down the road.

"It's not even about what they might need right now, it's also about having them see what some issues could arise," she said. "We're just trying to prevent those things that are bringing people to the emergency department."

The initiative is being funded through a New Horizons grant through to December.

Iles emphasizes that although the program is a SIRCH initiative, it's a tool and resource for promoting county programs.

"It's about helping the seniors in the community," she said.

Eighty-eight-year-old John Glenn grasps a metal barrier he installed into his home years ago to prevent visiting great-grandchildren from falling down the stairs. The active senior tries to make his home as safe as possible and therefore volunteered for a new SIRCH initiative called Safe at Home. ANGELICA INGRAM Staff

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Garlic festival talk

Living Large

Humour by Steve Galea

I don't care what it's about, there's nothing like a good festival. Festivals are where people enjoy themselves, share their passion for the things being celebrated and generally walk away happy.

Our very own garlic festival is no different. For the garlic lover, this is a chance to talk to the growers, sample and purchase the associated products and generally have a good time learning about a much-loved food.

But there is one thing to remember. Immediately after the garlic festival, you might want to consider how you interact with others.

Garlic, great as it is, leaves you with garlic breath. And that's fine provided the other person has it too. If not, you might want to consider these options:

1. The use of a bullhorn: While bullhorns are generally not used in conversations outside of the prison system, they come in handy if you have been sampling garlic and garlic-infused products all day.
2. Semaphore: OK, the use of two flags to communicate messages is somewhat of a lost art. But anyone you wish to speak to after you've attended the garlic festival will only be too happy learn it.
3. Utilize the wind. Before opening your mouth to speak to someone after the garlic festival, check the wind direction and then position yourself downwind.
4. Camouflage the odour: There are plenty of ways to do this but I prefer starting conversations just after a skunk sprayed the area. Garlic does not seem nearly so bad after that.
5. Respirators: Carry a couple and hand them to anyone you plan on engaging in conversation.
6. Bandanas: Wear a bandana, outlaw-style, across the mouth, then talk away – just not in the bank line up.
7. Yelling: Place yourself 15 to 20 yards away and have a casual conversation in which everyone yells. Again, this is one of those things where location is critical. Not in church, for instance.
8. Dixie cup/string phones: Easy to make. Not difficult to use. They make garlic breath less of an issue, although they do present a trip hazard.
9. Texting or cellphone conversations: Sure, this is odd when you are 20 feet from the other person, but it's also appreciated.
10. Only engage in conversations with people you don't like: And don't ever mention you just returned from the garlic festival. This pays off great in the long run.

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Dock and boathouse construction

Greg Cholkan
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This week we'll discuss a topic that's near and dear to yours truly: protecting fish habitat. The Fisheries Act states: "No person shall carry on any work, undertaking or activity that results in serious harm to fish that are part of a commercial, recreational or Aboriginal fishery." You may be guilty of an offence if you build a dock or boathouse and damage fish habitat as a result. For example, cottagers who constructed a large seaplane ramp in the water were fined a total of $45,000!

The government of Canada periodically releases an operational statement that deals with this kind of construction. This document includes a section called "Measures to Protect Fish and Fish Habitat when Building your Dock and Boathouse." Some of the measures include: "if rocks, stumps or logs need to be moved on the lake or river bottom or shoreline to build the dock, they should be relocated to an area of similar depth and not removed altogether from the bottom or shoreline." And: "use only treated lumber that is environmentally-friendly for dock structures that are above water."

You should also "time the installation of crib docks to prevent disruption of sensitive fish life stages by adhering to appropriate fisheries timing windows." In other words, you shouldn't build at certain times of the year. When you can and can't build depends on where you live and the fish species in your lake. Basically, the intent of the policy is to prevent people from disrupting spawning periods.

For the purpose of determining the timing window, Haliburton is in Southern Region. In this area, if your lake has walleye in it, you shouldn't build from March 15 to May 31. If your lake also has largemouth or smallmouth bass in it, that period is extended to July 15. Keep in mind that certain species, such as lake trout and whitefish, spawn in the fall. For a full list of spawning periods, visit: www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/pnw-ppe/timing-periodes/on-eng.html.

Know the rules and make sure that when you're building a dock or boathouse you don't damage fish habitat. After all, there's great fishing in Haliburton County (even though I haven't figured out where the big ones are just yet!). Let's keep it that way. Speaking of which, if you'd like to make a donation to the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association, which, amongst other things, plays an integral role in fish stocking in the area, please visit their website: www.hhoa.on.ca.

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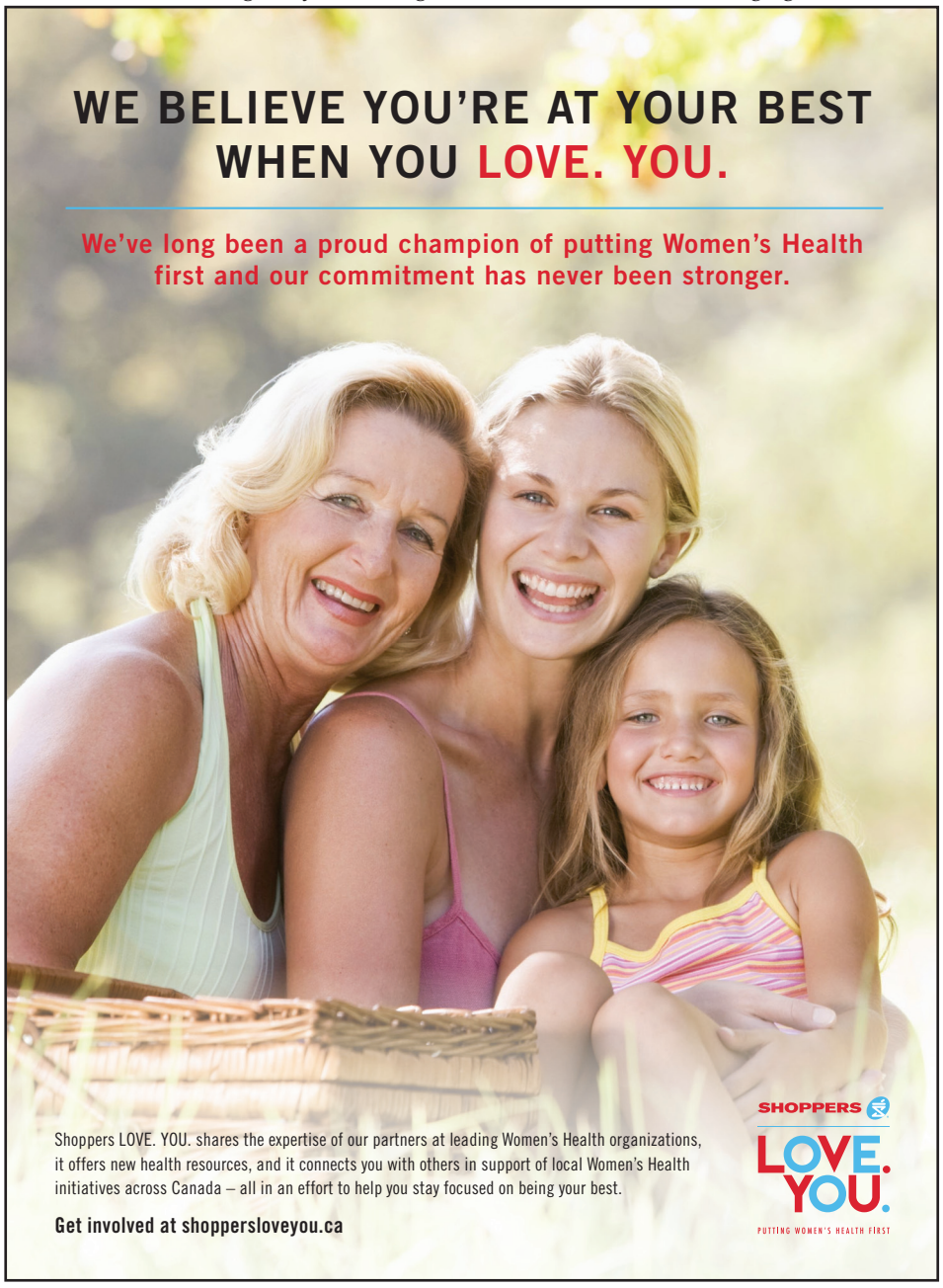
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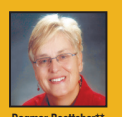

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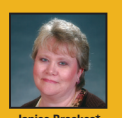

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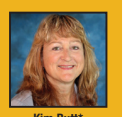

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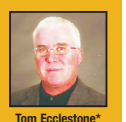

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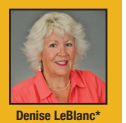

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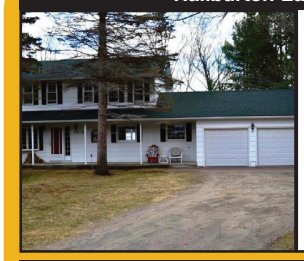
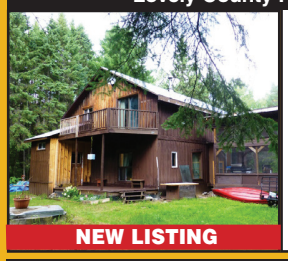


- Outstanding, one of a kind lakefront home or summer getaway
- Featuring hardwood floors, stone fireplace, 4 plus bedrooms
- 2 full bathrooms, large solarium, full unfinished basement and a double attached garage
- Lakeside patio allows hours of waterfront enjoyment

Drew Bishop 457-2128 x 23

Lovely County Home $209,000

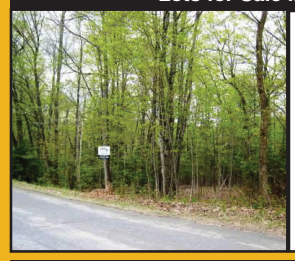


NEW LISTING

- Yr round 3 bdrm home or cottage south of Kinmount
- 13 acres close Burnt River access on municipal road
- Backs onto Rail Line for sledders and ATVs
- 2 small cabins also on property need repair

Dagmar Boettcher 457-5968

Lots for Sale in Haliburton!



- $67,900 - Haliburton by the Lake
- $70,000 - Dean Crt-Riverside Drive*
- $37,900 - Lakeview St.
- *Picture shown for this property

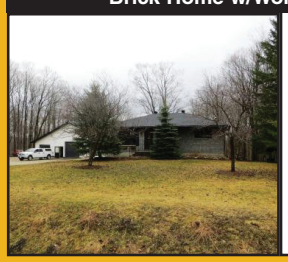
Janice Brookes 457-2128 x 22

Hidden Jewel - Kennisis Lk $475,000

- Shelter by island
- 3 bdrm, laundry, open concept
- 2 decks + dock, deep water
- Granite shore, very private, immaculate
- S Exp Sun All Day
- 2 Small Outbuildings

Gloria Carnochan 754-1932

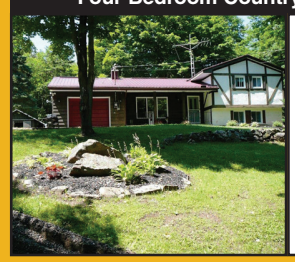
Brick Home w/Workshop $339,000



- 200 Ft Road Frontage, 2.23 Acres
- Approx. 2152 sq.ft. 3 brdm, 2 bath home
- Approx. 1700 sq. ft. heated shop for use or lease
- Conveniently located between Minden & Haliburton

Mark Dennys 457-2128 x 30

Four Bedroom Country Home just $259,000



- 6 acres, private, plenty of hard wood, just minutes to Minden
- 2 full baths, 2 storage buildings and "The Hot Tub Hut"
- Beautiful New Kitchen, built in appliances, open concept living
- Great level yard, perfect for children, a truly lovely family home

Tom Ecclestone 286-2138 x 26

Halls Lake $419,000

NEW LISTING

- Fully winterized (Heatline lake water system)
- 1800 sq.ft. total living space
- 3 bdrms+, 2 bathrooms
- Bunkie with 2 pce bathroom
- 160 feet hard sand/rocky-deep shoreline

Lee Gauthier 754-1482

Minden Home $269,000

- Bright home situated on a level 1 acre landscaped property
- 3 + 1 bedrooms master bedroom with ensuite, 3 bathrooms
- 16x24 heated garaged, new furnace 2014 & central air
- Close to Minden, snowmobile trails & Horseshoe Lake

Ed Gibbons 286-2138 x 28

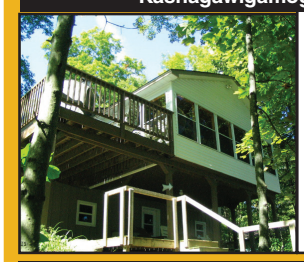
Irondale River $199,900

NEW LISTING

- 3 bedroom home or cottage w/ 640 ft of frontage on the river
- Private, peaceful setting w/ level landscaped yards
- Features a full basement, screened in room & garage
- Clean swimming with miles of kayaking & canoeing!

Andrew Hodgson 286-2138 x 29

Kashagawigamog Lake $399,900



- Nicely updated cottage on 5-lake chain.
- Newer kitchen, bathroom, flooring, lighting,
- Miles of boating
- Clean rock & sand shoreline.

Susanne James & Andy Mosher
457-2128 x 33

Eagle Lake Road $259,900

- Very well built home on 5 acres
- 3 good size bedrooms & 3 baths
- Large eat-in kitchen, separate dining rm
- Main flr laundry and family room

Denise LeBlanc 286-2138 x 23

Highland Gate $219,000

NEW PRICE

- Well maintained, immaculate log home with 1 1/2 car garage
- Spacious living space, walkout from the dining room makes it perfect for entertaining
- 3 good sized bedrooms with 4 piece bath including walk-in tub
- Main floor laundry, adjacent lot also for sale!

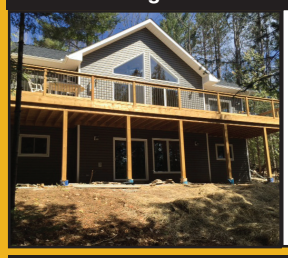
David Lee 286-2138 x 27

Eagle Lake Home $229,000

- Recently built Guildcrest Home
- Close to Sir Sam`s Ski & Bike
- Over 2 acres, private lot
- 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, jaccuzzi tub

Erin Nicholls 457-2128 x 34

Canning Lake Waterfront Retreat $689,500



- Custom built, South Exp, Boathouse + Rock & Sand Shoreline
- 5 Lake Chain, boat to town w/ 25+ miles of boating
- 3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Open concept interior & outstanding kitchen
- Full complement of south facing windows + walkout to spacious deck

Karen Nimigon 457-2128 x 29

Burdock Lake $339,000

NEW LISTING

- Winterized cottage w/ open concept living area
- Large dining room with a great view of the lake
- Massive deck for entertaining plus Bunkie easily sleeps 4
- Comes with all appliances & lots of furniture!

Greg Stamp 457-2128 x 28

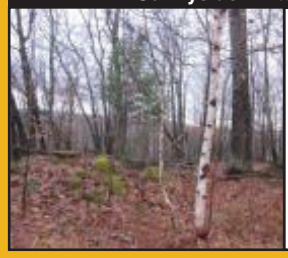
Little Glamor Lake $429,000

NEW LISTING

- Sunny southern exposure, total privacy, mature trees, beautiful view
- Fully winterized, open concept cottage with floor to ceiling granite fireplace
- 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, lovely pine kitchen, new floor coverings on the main floor
- Screened in room, fully finished lower level with huge family room with woodstove

Kim Stamp 457-2128 x 24

Sunnyside Hilltop Lot $68,500



- Scenic hilltop views over Haliburton Village
- Multi-exposure 1.5 acre residential lot
- Private setting in area of finer homes
- Well-maintained Township road - a "Must-Buy!"

Elizabeth Thompson 457-2128 x 52

Maple Lake Cottage $249,000

NEW PRICE

- 3 Bedroom Cottage on Level Lot
- Comes Furnished and Ready For Family Fun
- Southern Exposure, Shallow Sand Shoreline
- Boating and Fishing on a 3 Lake Chain

Melanie Vigrass 286-2138 x 32

Big Brother Lake $319,900

NEW PRICE

- Picturesque Algonquin Park like setting
- 3 bedroom year round cottage set amongst 1000's of acres of crown land
- Large separate workshop/bunkie
- 5 lake chain plus hundreds more lakes to explore via canoe route

Tom Wilkinson 286-2138 x 25

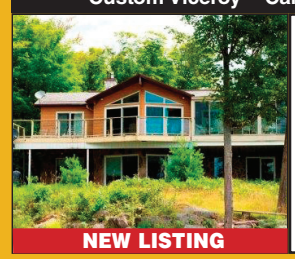
Tedious Lake $224,900

NEW LISTING

- Nestled amongst the trees, rests a 2 bedroom, 1 bath, classic cottage on a private lot
- 300 feet of shoreline w/ sandy wade-in area together & deep water off the dock
- Features a stone fireplace, pine ceilings & large windows overlooking the lake!

Andrea Wilson 457-2128 x 25

Custom Viceroy – Canning Lake $929,000



NEW LISTING

- Private cottage 3.9 acres with 5 Lake chain boating
- 3450 Sq Ft includes open concept living & entertaining space
- 4 large bedrooms & 3 full baths as well as finished lower level
- Quality construction & energy efficient, this one really has it all!

Kim Butt 286-2138 x 31

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UPCOMING

Community Events

PARISH
HOME INSPECTIONS

Dated Events

Haliburton County Historical Society
When: Thursday August 20th, 1:30 PM
Where: Haliburton Museum
Speaker: David Bishop, Topic: Haliburton 1946

Flexibility & Fashion
When: August 21, 22, 23
Where: Holness Yoga & Guest Suites & Sue Mac Designs Killara Station
Internationally recognized artist, Susan MacDonald will guide you in creating your very own garment. Gail will teach you how yoga opens your creative pathways.
Contact: Gail at gailholness@gmail.com or Susan Peel Macdonald sue@pawsatks.com

Wilberforce Curling Club / HATVA ATV Poker Ride
When: August 22, 2015
Where: Wilberforce Curling Club, Wilberforce
www.HaliburtonATV.com

Happi Coat workshop.
When: Wednesday August 26, 6:30 pm
Where: Minden Cultural Centre
What: The Japanese Happi Coat is a short, straight sleeved robe worn at celebrations. Nadine Papp is leading a workshop where we can create our own Happi Coats. Please register with Kay Millard, 705-286-6635. And wear your Happi Coat to the Festival of the August Moon, August 29 at the Wild Swan B&B

Festival of the August Moon
When: August 29, pm til dusk
Where: Wild Swan B&B, 65 Invergordon, Minden
What: The Festival of the August Moon is a traditional Japanese celebration honouring the ancestors. Held annually at the Wild Swan B&B the Festival includes Japanese dancing, Japanese flower arranging, a Japanese tea ceremony, Japanese food, Japanese folk tales and children's games and much more. The festival closes with the floating of candle-lit lanterns on the Gull.

Gooderham United Church Yard Sale
When: Saturday Sept. 5, 2015, 8:00 am - 3:00 pm
Light Refreshments
Donated Items appreciated. Please, no large appliances, cribs or mattresses
For pick-up or drop-off call June at 447-2838

Haliburton Wolves Junior A
Dance with the Wolves
When: Saturday September 5, 2015
Where: Haliburton Legion
Time: 8 PM - 12 AM
Cost: $20.00/ticket
A donation will be made to the Haliburton Legion and The Alzheimer's Society of Haliburton

HALIBURTON: Sexual Health Clinic
When: Wednesday, September 9, 10:30 am to Noon.
The clinic provides clients with confidential access to cervical screening, low-cost birth control, pregnancy testing and sexual health teaching. Testing and treatment of sexually transmitted infections are also provided. For more information, locations or to make an appointment, call the Health Unit at 1-866-888-4577, ext. 1205.

HALIBURTON: Healthy Beginnings – Prenatal Class
When: Wednesday, September 9, 6 to 8 pm,
Where: Ontario Early Years Centre (83 Maple Ave., Halco Plaza, lower level) in Haliburton Village.
Join this free class offered by the Health Unit to help expectant parents prepare for baby's arrival.
Continues on September 16, 23, 30 and October 7. Pre-register by calling (705) 457-1391 or toll-free at 1-866-888-4577.

A Taste of Tai Chi
When: Wed, Sept. 9/15 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Where: Lloyd Watson Centre, Wilberforce
For more information contact Wilma at 705-457-5829

A Taste of Tai Chi
When: Thurs, Sept 10/15 10:00 am - noon
Wed. Sept 16/15 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm
Where: Haliburton United Church
For more information contact Wilma at 705-457-5829

Shout Sister Choir
Shout Sister Choir Haliburton Chapter is welcoming new members.
When: Fall session begins September 10, but please join us at anytime.
We meet every Thursday evening from 7-9 pm at Haliburton United Church, 10 George Street, Haliburton . We do not audition and we sing a fun variety of music. We learn from recorded tracks so we require no reading of music. Our method is fresh, fun and we are a warm and welcoming community. You are welcome to attend a practice with no obligation.
For more information please email members@shoutsisterchoir.ca

Highlands East Plein-Air Arts Festival
September 10-13, 2015
Across Highlands East
www.HighlandsEastPleinAir.WordPress.com
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Doors Open
September 12 & 13, 2015
Across Highlands East
www.DoorsOpenOntario.on.ca

Corduroy Enduro
September 26 & 27, 2015
Robert McCausland Centre, Gooderham
www.CorduroyEnduro.ca

Recurring Events

Al-anon Minden
When; Monday evenings at 8 p.m.
Where: Hyland Crest (north entrance, follow signs inside building), 6 MacPherson, Minden
Details: For relatives and friends of problem drinkers. For more information call 1-888-425-2666

Haliburton County IncrEdible Farmers' Markets
HALIBURTON – TUESDAYS - until Oct 6th - 12:00pm to 4:00pm
CARNARVON – FRIDAYS – until Oct 9th - 12:00pm to 4:00pm
MINDEN – SATURDAYS – until Aug 29th - 10:00am to 2:00pm

Kinmount Farmers Market Open
When: Every Saturday from 9-2
Where: Kinmount

Toastmasters
When: Wednesday evenings, 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Where: Minden United Church, Newcastle Street, Minden
We continue to hold our cost-effective, informative and enjoyable Toastmaster meetings at the Minden United Church, Newcastle Street, Minden. We encourage both men and women to come and to see a meeting to find out what we are all about. Here is a place to learn speaking and listening skills in a comfortable setting at a reasonable cost. For more information, call Sybil at 286-2624, Roy Haig at 286-4644 and Lynda Litwin at 286-2911.

Haliburton Highlands Quilt Guild
When: Second Wednesday of every month, at 1-4 pm
Where: Stanhope Community Centre, 1095 North Shore Rd., Algonquin Highlands
Details: Meeting often preceded by working on a project at 10 am.
Contact: Pat Campbell at (705) 457-1211 or patcampbell@live.ca

Haliburton Highlands Hand Weavers & Spinners Guild Open Studios
When: Daytime - Every Tues. 1-4; Evening the 3rd. Wed. of the month 7-9
Where: Zion United Church, Carnarvon
No Experience needed
Contact: Pat @ 705-286-6042 or andreacoysh@gmail.com

Dorset Quilters & Needle Workers Group
When: Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m.
$1 per person
Dorset Evening Yoga Classes
When: Mondays, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
$75 for 6 classes or $15 per class. For more information contact Caroline Leeder at huttcaroline@gmail.com or 705-767-1177

Haliburton Region Shout Sister! Choir
When: Practices are held Thursday nights from 7-9 pm
Where: Haliburton United Church, Fellowship Room, 10 George St., Haliburton.
Details: Directed by Laurel McCauley, Welcoming new members. We do not audition and learn our music by ear. All levels of singers are welcome. We sing a fun variety of music from pop and folk to Motown.

Taste of Tennis
When: July 14 - Sept. 8, 2015
Tuesdays from 10:00-11:30 am
Where:Stanhope Tennis Courts, 1095 North Shore Rd.
Aduts (high school age +) Free!
Geared to beginners or those wishing to refresh their skills.
Brought to you by: The Stanhope Senior Slammers & The Township of Algonquin Highlands.
Contact Glen at 705-489-1365 for more information

Free Computer Tutor Clinics
When: 2nd and 4th Thursdays in August from 10 am - 12pm
Where: Solve-All Computers, 4980 Monck Rd. Kinmount
Space is limited, please call Jenna to reserve a slot at 705-874-1480

Legion Events

Branch 624, Wilberforce
Jan Simon PRO August 21st – August 27th
Friday Jam Session 7:30PM
Spaghetti Dinner 5:00-7:00pm
Saturday Meat Draw 2:00pm - 5:00pm
- Early Bird 3pm sharp
Monday Bid Euchre
Wednesday Fun Darts
Upcoming event
Long Weekend Horseshoe Tournament, Sunday, September 6th – registration 10:00am-12:00pm
Play 12:30pm Sharp - $10 per player – Cash prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places – Music on the deck
Food available for purchase contact the branch for further details 705-448-2221

Branch 129, Haliburton
Dave Allen, PRO 705-457-2571
Mondays: Bridge every Monday at 1pm
Tuesdays: Open dart night at 7pm
Wednesdays: Bid Euchre 1pm start
Bingo Doors open at 6pm, Bingo starts at 7pm - $500 Jackpot, **$1000 Jackpot** last Wednesday of the month and every Wednesday in July and August.
Thursday: General Meeting Second Thursday of the month starting at 7:30 pm All members urged to attend Ladies Auxiliary Last Thursday of the month at 1pm
Fridays: Cribbage 1 pm start
Meat Draw Five Draws, Five Prizes each draw, First draw at 4:30 pm, Last draw at 6:30 pm, Tickets are $2 per draw…Chester Howse, MC
Saturdays: 50/50 Draw 4 pm draw, Tickets are 1$ each from noon onwards
Sundays: Breakfast Second and fourth Sunday of the month - 9:30 am - 1 pm $6 per person. Occasional volunteers are needed.
Whether you're planning a function for 10 or 200, call the Legion today for more information 705-457-2571. Please come out and support Haliburton Legion Branch 129 …everyone is welcome!

Branch 636, Minden 705-286-4541
1st Sunday of the month - Big Euchre starting at 12 noon, 12 games for $12 includes lunch
1st Wednesday of the month General Membership Meeting 7:30 pm
Mon-Thurs - lunch 12-2, full menu & daily specials
Tuesdays - 12-2 Liver Lovers day, plus full menu
Wednesdays - Meat Draw at noon, $8 buys 8 chances for butcher-quality meat
Thursdays - 7pm Euchre
Fridays - beer-battered fish and chips for lunch 12-2 and 5-7pm for supper, or onion rings or chicken wings

Branch 441 KINMOUNT
PRO Raquel Linton 705-488-3191
Mondays: Seniors cards, pot luck lunch 1230 followed by Bid Euchre
Family Fun Bingo 630pm Children & Adult fun and All welcome!
Wednesday: Summer Drop In Darts
Fridays: Bingo 6:45 all welcome $300 Must Go Jackpot
Saturdays: 5pm Meat Draw
Upcoming Events:
Aug 29th - Lasagne dinner followed by Trivia Night. Tickets $20 each, lots and lots of prizes and laughs to be had!

Submit your events to classifieds@haliburtonpress.com

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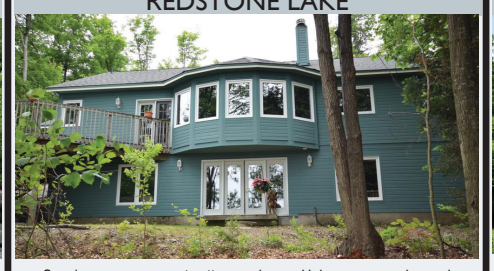
KASHAGAWIGAMOG LAKE

Breathtaking cottage style - custom built post & beam. Amazing views from new deck w/glass railing. New kitchen,bright LR with soaring stone fireplace. 3 levels of living space. Landscaped, gorgeous waterfront, close to Haliburton.
$999,000

DRAG LAKE

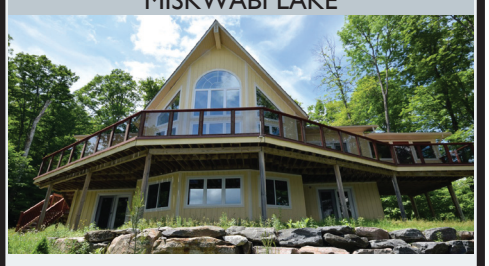
Immaculate timber frame & log hybrid. Large natural lot. 318 feet of water frontage.Boasts character & a true cottage feel.
$995,000

REDSTONE LAKE



Spacious open concept cottage or home. Unique man-made coral fireplace.
High quality custom kitchen. Cozy lower level family room with walkout. Dbl det garage. Big lake view.
$848,800

MISKWABI LAKE



Quality custom built 4BR on 165' frtg lot.
Open concept, corner stone fp,
cathedral ceilings, massive windows for million $ view. Large deck w/ glass railings
& so much more.
$839,900

LITTLE REDSTONE LAKE

Large/multi-family retrea, 4000sf of living space, 3 levels. Separate quarters for owners & guests. Soaring stone centre fp, huge entertainment room, new decking.
3.3 ac & 190' frtg & so much more!
$829.700

MOUNTAIN LAKE

Upper Canada post & beam estate.
3000 sq ft of spacious living.
Privacy assured with 17ac & 837 ft of waterfront.
Trails throughout & crown land nearby.
$747,000

DRAG LAKE

Quality custom cottage/ home in forested setting. 225' wtrfrt. 5 min to village. 4BR, open concept, finished lower level. Spacious & special!
$729,000

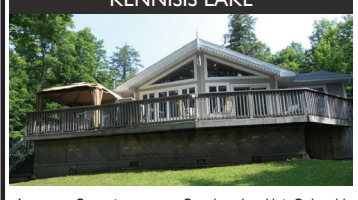
5 LAKE CHAIN

Prime Location in quiet area of lovely homes. Private treed lot, million $ view in all seasons. Spacious family home with 3BR up & one down. Scr porch, att garage, recroom, Convenient to village.
$555,900

LONG LAKE

1.5 stry cottage & 2BR winterized bunkie. Lakeside sauna, heated garage, Lots of decks & docking. Clean swimming. 2 lake chain.
$499,000

KENNISIS LAKE



4 season. Sunset exposure. Spacious level lot. Oak cabinetry, B/I appliances, cathedral ceiling, 3BR/2Bath. Great shoreline, large dock system.
$495,000

BEAUTIFUL MOOSE LAKE

Spacious 3BR 4 season cott or home. Full fin bsmt, lg screen porch, sundeck w/glass panels, wood FP. Level lot, great shoreline, dbl garage & more! Watch sunsets from the dock.
$448,000

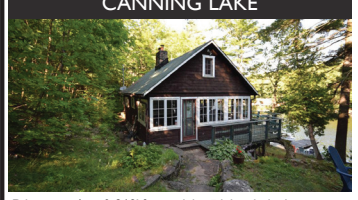
EAGLE LAKE

Perfect home, cottage or rental property. Awesome lake system & close to Sir Sams. 1.5 Storey, 3 bedrm, full basement. .
$445,000

GLEN LAKE

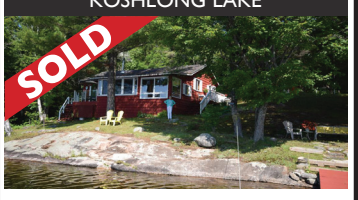
Cottage in ski area! Spring fed lake - quiet & private. Sunset exposure. Fully furnished & move in ready with a new propane fireplace.
$433,000

CANNING LAKE



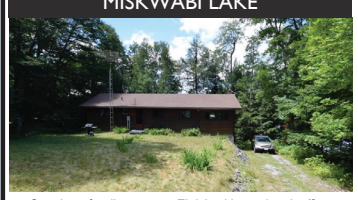
Privacy on 4 ac & 310' frtg and the 5 lake chain. Log cottage has loads of character. Water's edge Bunkie and a Sauna/ Change room. Clean shoreline & pretty lot. Great package!
$425,000

KOSHLONG LAKE



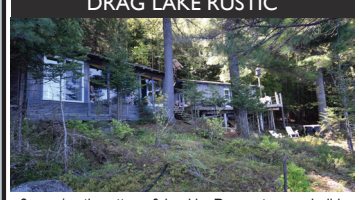
Fantastic 5br family cottage with smooth rock shoreline. Dry boathouse, laundry cabin w/2pc. Open concept with sunroom. Gorgeous setting!
$399,000

MISKWABI LAKE



Spacious family cottage. Finished lower level w/3pc, recroom, walkout, spare rooms. Treed privacy, big lake view. Garage. Awesome 2 lake chain.
$379,500

DRAG LAKE RUSTIC



6 ac w/rustic cottage & bunkie. Renovate or re-build. Privacy assured 524 frtg. Sunset NW exposure. No hydro. Enjoy peaceful old time cottaging.
$358,000

PERCY LAKE

Cozy 2BR yr rnd cottage. Sunny deck, south exposure & gorgeous views.
Bunkie. Well treed & private.
$339,000

LOON LAKE

Level lot, sun all day. Sand shoreline. Great fishing & boating. 4 season 3BR, 4pc bath cottage. Screen porch. Close to Haliburton.
$295,000

KASHAGAWIGAMOG LAKE

Traditional 3 season 2BR cottage on Birch Narrows Rd. Great potential & affordable on this 5 lake chain.
$285,000

PRISTINE REDSTONE LAKE

Beautiful Island cottaging. 2BR with character & warmth. Well cared for. Large deck, many upgrades, huge dock, great shoreline. & room to grow.
$268,500

MINNICOCK LAKE CABIN

Tranquil no motor lake. Private level 1 ac lot, 200' frtg w/dock. Cute cabin with hydro. Share in 88 ac. behind. Yr rnd private rd. Driveway in. Awesome find!.
$157,000